

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

IN RE:	§	CASE NUMBER: 24-35761
	§	
JETALL COMPANIES, INC.,	§	
	§	
DEBTORS.	§	Chapter 7

**UNITED STATES TRUSTEE’S REPORT OF UNDISPUTED ELECTION
OF CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE
PURSUANT TO FEDERAL RULE OF BANKRUPTCY PROCEDURE 2003**

TO THE HONORABLE JEFFREY P. NORMAN, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

Kevin M. Epstein, the United States Trustee for Region 7 (“U.S. Trustee”), files this Report of an Undisputed Election of Trustee Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2003 (the “Election Report”). In support hereof, the U.S. Trustee respectfully reports as follows:

INTRODUCTION

1. The U.S. Trustee must report to the Court the status of any election of a chapter 7 trustee at a meeting of creditors, whether that election is disputed or not. *See* Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2003(d). Prior to the initial meeting of creditors, the U.S. Trustee received a request for an election for a chapter 7 trustee in this case. The U.S. Trustee conducted the election for a chapter 7 trustee in this case on April 22, 2025, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 702. Neither the election nor the election results were contested or disputed. Accordingly, the U.S. Trustee files this Election Report in compliance with Rule 2003.

BACKGROUND

2. On February 7, 2025, the Court entered its Order Denying Joint Motion to Dismiss and For Order of Relief Under 11 U.S.C. § 303(h) in the involuntary chapter 11 case that was initiated by the Involuntary Petition Under Chapter 11 (non-Individual) [ECF 1] filed on December 4, 2024,

pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 303.

3. On March 6, 2025, the Court entered its Order Converting Case to Chapter 7 Case [ECF 68].

4. On March 19, 2025, the U.S. Trustee filed its Notice of Appointment of Successor Chapter 7 Trustee noticing the appointment of Jose C. Rodriguez (“Mr. Rodriguez”) as the interim Chapter 7 Trustee for this case.

5. The initial meeting of creditors, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 341, was scheduled for April 22, 2025 [ECF 111].

6. On April 15, 2025, creditor Christopher Murray, as the Trustee of the Litigation Trust in the Galleria 2425 Owner LLC case (the “Litigation Trustee”) requested, via email communication to the U.S. Trustee, an election for chapter 7 trustee in this case, as per 11 U.S.C. § 702. The Litigation Trustee filed its Proof of Claim, as Claim No. 3, for a general unsecured claim of \$3,467,855.89, on January 30, 2025.

7. On April 15, 2025, creditor National Bank of Kuwait, S.A.K.P., New York Branch (the “NBK”) requested, via email communication to the U.S. Trustee, an election for chapter 7 trustee in this case, as per 11 U.S.C. § 702. The NBK filed its Proofs of Claim as follows: (i) Claim No. 4, for general unsecured claim of \$25,000.00, on April 16, 2025; and (ii) Claim No. 5, for a general unsecured claim of \$36,138,468.73, on April 16, 2025.

8. On April 15, 2025, the U.S. Trustee filed his Notice of the Meeting of Creditors and Election for Replacement Chapter 7 Trustee [ECF 130] advising of the pending Trustee Election scheduled for April 22, 2025, at the scheduled initial Meeting of Creditors.

THE ELECTION REPORT

9. On April 22, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. (CST), Mr. Rodriguez initiated the meeting of creditors and U.S. Trustee conducted election of chapter 7 trustee (collectively, the “Meeting”) for the above-entitled case via Zoom - Rodriguez: Meeting ID 737 113 8071, Passcode 8075642534, Phone 1 737 295 2018.

10. At the Meeting, (i) the Litigation Trustee, and (ii) the NBK requested that the U.S. Trustee conduct an election for chapter 7 trustee. The Litigation Trustee nominated Douglas Brickley for election as the permanent chapter 7 trustee in this case. The NBK seconded the nomination of Douglas Brickley for election as the permanent chapter 7 trustee in this case.

11. The undersigned presided over and conducted the election of the chapter 7 trustee.

12. Pursuant to the election, Douglas Brickley was elected as the permanent chapter 7 trustee.

13. The election is undisputed.

14. Douglas Brickley’s contact information is as follows:

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Dated: April 22, 2025

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 22, 2025, a copy of the foregoing pleading was served on those parties entitled to ECF Notice through the Court's CM/ECF system and, for those not participating in the CM/ECF system, via U.S.P.S. – First Class Mail, Postage Prepaid.

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